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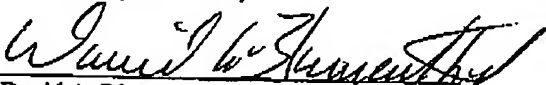
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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In reply to the Office Action dated March 31, 2005 applicant hereby elects the claims of Group I without traverse. Claims 1-4, 13 and 14 are readable on the elected species.


Applicant reserves the right to file a divisional application covering the subject matter of the non-elected claims.

Receipt of the initial Office Action on the merits is awaited.

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